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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Andreas WIDL et al.

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For: Roadside Control Device for a Toll Apparatus  
Installed in a Motor Vehicle

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SIR:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated August 13, 2003 of the Primary Examiner twice or finally rejecting claims 18-37.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ The time for response to the Office Action of August 13, 2003 expires on November 13, 2003.
2. ☐ A   -month extension of time for response to the Office Action dated    was filed on   . [No additional extensions of time are required.]

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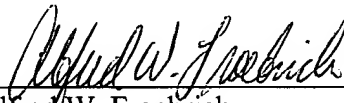
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- 3a. ☐ Applicant(s) hereby request(s) a one two three-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of \_\_. A check in the amount of \_\_ in payment of the government fee for an extension of time is enclosed herewith.
- 3b. ☒ This is not the first request for an extension of time relative to the outstanding paper. The period for response has already been extended by one-month(s) by petition dated December 15, 2003. Please extend the time for response by an additional two-month(s). With this extension, the deadline for filing the required paper will be February 13, 2004. A check for the additional extension fee of **\$840.00** is enclosed.
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